



New Haven Democracy Fund

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2021 PRIMARY ELECTION **Participation Affidavit**

Candidate's Name and Address: _____

Name and Address of Candidate Committee: _____

Name and Address of Treasurer of Candidate Committee: _____

We hereby certify that we intend to abide by the expenditure limits set forth in the New Haven Democracy Fund Ordinance for the 2021 mayoral primary election campaign.

We recognize that a failure to file this affidavit with the Democracy Fund Administrator by **5:00 pm on Friday July 16, 2021**, the 60th day before the day of the 2021 mayoral primary election, will result in the candidate being deemed a non-participating candidate.

Date

Candidate's signature

Date

Treasurer's signature

Note: A participating candidate and treasurer must also sign and submit to the Democracy Fund Administrator a signed 2021 Primary Election Candidate Contract. Documents may be submitted digitally.



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2021 Public Campaign Financing for Mayor

Qualifying Requirements:

\$390 Maximum contribution from individuals (per cycle). Participating campaigns may not accept contributions from businesses or political action groups.

\$5,000 Minimum total contribution threshold

200 registered New Haven voters

Grants and matching funds will be given only **after** there are two campaign committees for Mayor which raise or spend more than \$5,000 (this constitutes a "contested election" under the Ordinance definition).

Grant Amount: \$20,000 (per cycle)

Matching Funds: 2-to-1 match on the first \$30 contributed by registered New Haven voters.

Participant Filing Deadlines:

Deadline to file intent to use the Democracy Fund (Primary):

Friday, July 16, 2021

Deadline to file intent to use Democracy Fund (General):

Friday, September 3, 2021

Weekly requests for matching funds must be submitted by
with a minimum distribution amount of \$2,000 (per Ordinance).

Thursdays at 5:00pm

Please do not hesitate to contact the Administrator for more information and/or for a complete training for mayoral campaign staff and treasurers.

Other important dates of note:

2019 Municipal Primary Election:

Tuesday, September 14, 2021

2021 Municipal General Election:

Tuesday, November 2, 2021

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